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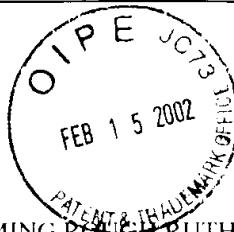
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Derderian et al.

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Title: METHODS FOR FORMING ROUGH RUTHENIUM-CONTAINING LAYERS AND STRUCTURES/METHODS USING SAME



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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

We are transmitting the following documents along with this Transmittal Sheet (which is submitted in triplicate):

An itemized return postcard.

A Petition for Extension of Time for ___ month(s) and a check in the amount of \$___ for the required fee.

An Information Disclosure Statement (2 pgs); copies of 4 applications; 1449 forms (4 pgs); and copies of 2 documents cited on the 1449 forms.

A check in the amount of \$___, for ___.

A certified copy of a ___ application, Serial No. ___, filed ___, the right of priority of which is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

Other:

Amendment ___ No Additional fee is required. ___ The fee has been calculated as shown:

Fee Calculation for Claims Pending After Amendment					
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Total Claims				x \$18 =	
Independent Claims				x \$84 =	
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